

Table 6b. Average Cost, Aid, Net Cost, and Percent of Cost Covered by Sex, Race, Hispanic Origin, Age, Dependency Status, Labor Force Status, and Annual Family Income, 1996-1997: Full-time Students

Cost and aid	Postsecondary cost, aid, net cost, and percent of cost covered: all students										
	Total enrolled full-time	Sex		Race/Hispanic origin <sup>1</sup>					Age		
		Men	Women	White	White non-Hispanic	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Hispanic	17 to 24 years	25 to 34 years	35 years and older
TOTAL, 17 years and older											
Total cost											
Mean (Average)	\$8,667	\$9,342	\$8,090	\$8,906	\$9,166	\$6,815	\$9,857	\$6,272	\$8,954	\$8,715	\$6,706
Standard error	\$188	\$295	\$241	\$210	\$221	\$439	\$898	\$619	\$225	\$441	\$511
Total aid											
Mean (Average)	\$3,745	\$3,588	\$3,878	\$3,691	\$3,770	\$3,699	\$4,592	\$2,933	\$3,514	\$4,767	\$3,318
Standard error	\$124	\$187	\$168	\$139	\$148	\$319	\$606	\$352	\$143	\$327	\$339
Net cost											
Mean (Average)	\$4,922	\$5,753	\$4,211	\$5,216	\$5,396	\$3,116	\$5,265	\$3,339	\$5,441	\$3,948	\$3,388
Standard error	\$189	\$294	\$246	\$214	\$225	\$480	\$780	\$650	\$233	\$419	\$491
Percent of total cost covered by aid											
Mean (Average)	39	35	42	37	37	47	37	44	36	47	42
Standard error	1	1	1	1	1	3	4	4	1	3	3
None received											
Total cost											
Mean (Average)	\$7,443	\$7,842	\$7,035	\$7,617	\$7,790	\$6,272	\$7,279	\$5,401	\$7,695	\$7,830	\$5,151
Standard error	\$287	\$426	\$385	\$319	\$331	\$843	\$1,062	\$1,061	\$337	\$724	\$778
Total aid											
Mean (Average)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Standard error	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
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Standard error	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Aid received											
Total cost											
Mean (Average)	\$9,411	\$10,405	\$8,649	\$9,741	\$10,083	\$7,010	\$11,915	\$6,662	\$9,779	\$9,124	\$7,669
Standard error	\$245	\$398	\$304	\$276	\$290	\$515	\$1,322	\$759	\$296	\$549	\$657
Total aid											
Mean (Average)	\$6,022	\$6,134	\$5,937	\$6,079	\$6,281	\$5,027	\$8,257	\$4,249	\$5,815	\$6,964	\$5,374
Standard error	\$167	\$261	\$217	\$188	\$200	\$382	\$853	\$450	\$194	\$407	\$459
Net cost											
Mean (Average)	\$3,389	\$4,272	\$2,713	\$3,662	\$3,802	\$1,983	\$3,658	\$2,413	\$3,965	\$2,159	\$2,296
Standard error	\$239	\$385	\$300	\$274	\$288	\$554	\$1,081	\$795	\$303	\$476	\$615
Percent of total cost covered by aid											
Mean (Average)	62	60	64	61	61	64	67	63	59	69	67
Standard error	1	1	1	1	1	3	4	4	1	3	3

Cost and aid	Postsecondary cost, aid, net cost, and percent of cost covered: all students							
	Dependency status		Annual family income			Labor force status		
	Dependent student	Independent student	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$50,000 or more	Did not work	Worked full time	Worked part time
TOTAL, 17 years and older								
Total cost								
Mean (Average)	\$9,523	\$7,582	\$8,490	\$7,598	\$9,402	\$8,568	\$9,065	\$8,301
Standard error	\$280	\$362	\$324	\$339	\$306	\$380	\$298	\$312
Total aid								
Mean (Average)	\$3,555	\$3,415	\$4,379	\$3,825	\$3,237	\$3,402	\$3,811	\$3,956
Standard error	\$172	\$257	\$225	\$238	\$190	\$226	\$208	\$214
Net cost								
Mean (Average)	\$5,968	\$4,167	\$4,111	\$3,774	\$6,165	\$5,166	\$5,253	\$4,345
Standard error	\$287	\$382	\$324	\$347	\$306	\$390	\$300	\$308
Percent of total cost covered by aid								
Mean (Average)	35	39	47	42	30	36	38	41
Standard error	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1
None received								
Total cost								
Mean (Average)	\$8,085	\$6,774	\$7,701	\$5,782	\$8,001	\$7,688	\$7,971	\$6,537
Standard error	\$413	\$575	\$630	\$474	\$403	\$557	\$466	\$464
Total aid								
Mean (Average)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Standard error	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
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Standard error	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Aid received								
Total cost								
Mean (Average)	\$10,453	\$8,126	\$8,796	\$8,517	\$10,665	\$9,179	\$9,746	\$9,229
Standard error	\$370	\$463	\$377	\$441	\$444	\$509	\$382	\$401
Total aid								
Mean (Average)	\$5,856	\$5,714	\$6,078	\$5,760	\$6,154	\$5,767	\$6,188	\$6,038
Standard error	\$233	\$352	\$273	\$299	\$292	\$317	\$280	\$274
Net cost								
Mean (Average)	\$4,598	\$2,413	\$2,718	\$2,758	\$4,511	\$3,412	\$3,558	\$3,192
Standard error	\$378	\$476	\$357	\$451	\$437	\$512	\$369	\$389
Percent of total cost covered by aid								
Mean (Average)	57	65	66	64	58	62	62	63
Standard error	1	3	1	3	1	3	1	1

Footnotes:

<sup>1</sup> Hispanics may be of any race.

(X) Not applicable.

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